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HISTORICAL EVENT FOR TONOPAH

OMORROW is an epochal date that should be carried in carmine letters on every calendar in Tonopah for it is the day when Charles Schwab, at that time known as the protege of Andrew Carnegie and a budding satellite in the train of the solar system rising and settling in the financial district of Pittsburg. This is the twelfth anniversary of the coming of Charles M. Schwab to this camp which was attracting the notice of the universe and commanding the close attention of the staid financiers whose orbit swings around the Philidelphia Brouse. On the twenty-seventh day of April, 1904. Mr. Schwab, in conversation with W. W. Booth, editor of the Bonanza, at that time, chief news rustler, reporter, editor, printer and pressman of the only live paper in Nevada, used the following language:

Tonopah is a wonderful camp and of far greater magnitude than I had ever anticipated. Our properties in Tonopah are exactly as they have been represented by experts and, probably, a little better. The trip has settled in my mind all doubts as to future investments. We will commence operations on a large scale and install holsts, machine drills and other modern devices. All the properties will be opened up and much development work done.

This was twelve years ago when Tonopah was introduced to the young ironmaster and, ever since that memorable date, this camp has retained a cardinal place in the affections of the man who is responsible for making the Tonopah Extension one of the greatest mines in the world. His remarks addressed to the editor of the Bonanza had reference solely to the segregated elements that were owned but not absorbed by the present company: Every word of the prediction has come to pass. Every thought of the future of the camp has been crystallized in the success of what are known locally as the Kirchen properties." Every-word of praise was deserved but it required something more acute than ordinary vision to look ahead into the future and forecast what was going to be consummated over a decade

Mr. Schwab was the second large investor who thought enough of Tonopah in its swaddling clothes and its rag garments to come from its sumptuous home in the east and venture among the denizens of a camp that was pictured as one of the jumping off places of creation. Mr. Schwab was willing to take a chance where his money was invested and his visit had the two fold object of visualizing the many good things he had heard from that mining necro mancer, the first-and perennial, let us hope, president of the Tonopah Ex tension Mining Company-Dr. M. R. Ward, who is now enjoying one of his periodical visits to this camp as the guest of Mr. John G. Kirchen. It is to Dr. Ward that Tonopah is indebted in the first place for glimpsing the future of the Extension as it was on his advice and judgment that Mr. Schwab was induced to place his money in Tonopah. It was Dr. Ward who acted as electrone for the party direct from New York and, it is just possible, that his eloquent tribute to the resources of the western side of the new camp had considerable to do with the formation of the resolution of his kinsman to buy. Be that as it may, the recommendation was not misplaced for Tonopah Extension has made good and is doing better every day by opening the largest ore bodies known to carry values consistently for a depth of over 400

The Extension was not much of a mine when it began under the auspices of the Schwab interests, but it was pregnant with prominence. Since then there has been an expansion and development that reaches off to the boundless vista of the San Antone desert. And no one can forecast its ultimate achievements.

To quote the silver tongued orator of the occasioin, Justice of the Peace Joe Lindsay, who gave the parting adois to the Schwab party: "Good bye, Mr. Schwab, I hope your past will be as good as your future was." The part ing injunction was not forgotten for years after for at every social gathering where the spokesman of Tonopah was present the gay crowd never failed to

PAN-AMERICAN UNION

is good to read the utterances of the South American press. They have the true ring of friendship that stands ready to shed the last drop of blood for the North Americans who have stood between the southern countries, in days gone by when they were rent with dissension, and the grasping hand of European greed. There is a manly tone to the editorials credited to the leading newspapers of Buenos Aires and Rio Janeiro that tempts the stolid citizen of the northern states to clasp the people of the south in a warm embrace. If Germany should be tempted to override the bounds of prudence and declare war against the United States of North America is means a clarion call to arms in the several republics of the other end of the continent down below the line of the equator to the frigid boundaries of Tierra del Fuego and across the Andean heights of the Cordilleras from Pacific to Atlantic. In this broad domain the bonds of brotherhood have been knitted by years of close cultivation until the Latin races begin to appreciate the statement that the Yankees are not such a mercenary soulless tribe as we have been painted by the diligent Germans in their development of sordid trade relations for the money that is in it.

Let Germany, before the die is cast, take into account what a foe con fronts her. The advisers of the kaiser know more of the actual strength and resources of the southern republics than we do here on the other end of the continent. Therefore the warning issued from the chief centers of Bra zil and Argentina will strike with greater impact in the old country than they will here. Argentina is not to be despised as a naval ally with her twelve battleships and cruisers, two dreadnaughts and an army of half a million men ready for any emergency. Back of these visible portents is a population of over 7,000,000 citizens loyal and true to their leaders who would muster at least a million more trained men capable of rallying to the colors. Then there is Brazil, the substantial empire covering a greater area than the United States with a population of 21,500,000, to draw upon. The standing army of Brazil is like unto the United States before the acquisition of the Philippines or about 25,000, but with a navy embracing some forty vessels of the most advanced type of construction.

These are factors that will not be lost on the war lord of Germany and, when one reads that the German ininistry is disposed to accede to most of the demands formulated by the United States, it must be ascribed to the fear of arousing the sleeping nations on the western side of the Atlantic who have come to recognize your Uncle Samuel as a disinterested friend whose amity is not actuated by ulterior motives.

This only takes account of the probable railying of Argentina and Brazil and does not deal with Peru or Chili with their trained armies and very efficient navies which could take care of the Pacific side of the continent while the United States and her southern allies on the Atlantic side were ravaging the ocean of the remnants of the German flag left for Pan-American

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